

SENATOR MILLS: Question of Senator Warner, please. Senator Warner, I listened to your description of the vetos, the line-item vetos, then I couldn't hear what you said about the override. Is the Appropriations Committee suggesting an override on all that you have described?

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Mills, the rule requires that I give some explanation of the impact of each of the items that the Governor vetoed. We are recommending only three items for consideration to be overridden.

SENATOR MILLS: Who will do that?

SENATOR WARNER: I have the three motions up there.

SENATOR MILLS: Okay.

SENATOR WARNER: That is pursuant to the rules, Senator Mills.

SENATOR MILLS: I understand that, and I understand your describing these, but I wanted to know what three areas. I'm sorry I didn't hear you well enough to know. I have some concern about your description of the maximum security facility. Is that one that you will be recommending for an override?

SENATOR WARNER: The Committee is not recommending an override there. As I indicated, the position that the Committee took was one of regret that this was done. We felt that the more appropriate way to this will be that....

SENATOR MILLS: You will, as a committee, be working on this in the interim period, making the Department of Corrections come in and showing you their long-range plans so this Legislature can take it upon themselves, if they do not, to provide for those facilities in the future? Senator Warner, if you're not going to do that I want to vote for the override. If you're going to do that I'll support the Committee and sustain the Governor's veto. I feel very strongly that this is one area that the Legislature, and I commend you Senator Warner and the Appropriations Committee for taking this strong position. I hope that you will follow through on that during the interim period so that we can come back and show something to this body and the people of the State of Nebraska for the improvement of this much known and well needed facility.

PRESIDENT: Senator Bereuter.

SENATOR BEREUTER: Mr. President, a question of the Clerk. Is the first of the three items now before us, and I can address that?

PRESIDENT: We're just on Section 50.

SENATOR BEREUTER: Yes, I would like to speak on Section 50. I would like to re-emphasize some of the points that Senator Warner has already made. This deals with a program statement, with the oldest building in the University of Nebraska system, for the College of Architecture major building. It was once the library for the University of Nebraska, now called the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. This design competition will be run in somewhat similar fashion to the design competition that was run for the Capitol Building itself, the building